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SUBJ: INSTALLATION OF PERMANENT COMMUNICATIONS FACILITY IN OPORTO

REF: LISBON 5729

1. COMMUNICATIONS SITE SURVEY PER REFTTEL CONDUCTED BY LISBON RSO DURING OCT 8-10. OPORTO SECURITY VAULT DEEMED SUITABLE FOR REMOVAL OF "CAN DO" PACKAGE AND INSTALLATION OF HW-28 EQUIPMENTS ONCE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS ARE MET:

A. VAULT DOOR CONSISTS OF MOSLER INSULATED SAFE-FILE DOOR, WITH ESCAPE DEVICE AND S&G 8400 COMBINATION LOCK, ALL IN GOOD WORKING ORDER. DOOR PROVIDES ADEQUATE SECURITY, HOWEVER WAIVER MUST BE GRANTED BY OC/S TO CONTINUE USE OF THIS DOOR IN LIEU OF SKAG 1-B SPECIFIED CLASS 5 OR 6. REQUEST WAIVER.

B. PHYSICAL SECURITY OF CONSULATE IS SUCH THAT ENTRY MAY BE EASILY EFFECTED THROUGH MAIN AND ONLY ENTRANCE TO CONSULATE. RSO RECOMMENDS INSTALLATION OF EITHER (1) STEEL ROLL-DOWN SHUTTERS (PREFERABLY) OR (2) STEEL BOSTWICK-TYPE GATE. LANDLORD HAS NO OBJECTION. THIS WAS DISCUSSED WITH CONSULATE PERSONNEL AND CONSULATE REQUESTED TO OBTAIN ESTIMATES SOONEST. FOR OPORTO: ONCE ESTIMATE OBTAINED, REQUEST FORWARD SECSTATE, ATTN: EUR/EX, CONFIDENTIAL

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INFO: LISBON, FOR APPROVAL AND INITIATION OF INSTALLATION.

C. IN ORDER FOR HW-28 TO BE OPERATED WHILE VAULT DOOR IN CLOSED POSITION, IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO INSTALL ELECTRICAL OUTLET INSIDE THE VAULT. AT PRESENT TIME, POWER TO "CAN DO" PACKAGE IS ROUTED TO EQUIPMENTS THROUGH OPEN VAULT DOOR VIA EXTENSION LINE.

D. ONE HERRING HALL MARVIN, FOUR-DRAWER, RECEDING DOOR SAFE WITH S&G COMBINATION LOCK IS BEING USED TO HOUSE ALL CLASSIFIED, INCLUDING CRYPTO, MATERIAL. LOCK ON SAFE CONTAINER, HOWEVER, HAS APPARENT BENT SPLINE SHAFT DUE TO PREVIOUS COLLISION OF COMBINATION DIAL ON RECEDING DOOR WITH WALL. THIS LOCK IS CONSEQUENTLY CONSIDERED A POTENTIAL LOCK-OUT AND MUST BE REPLACED. ENTIRE CONTAINER WILL BE MOVED INTO ADJOINING ROOM TO ALLOW GREATER SPACE FOR HW-28'S, AND CANNOT BE USED IN PRESENT STATE. FOR RTC: REQUEST TECHNICIAN VISIT OPORTO TO REPAIR THIS SAFE AND ACCOMPLISH 1C, ABOVE. ALSO, IF MECHANICAL SIMPLEX LOCK AVAIL RTC, REQUEST TECHNICIAN TAKE ONE TO OPORTO AND INSTALL ON DOORWAY TO ADMIN AREA OF CONSULATE.

2. OPORTO CONSULATE LOCATED ON THIRD FLOOR (EUROPEAN SYSTEM) OF COMMERCIAL BUILDING. AS BOTH SECOND AND FOURTH FLOORS OCCUPIED BY PRIVATE PORTUGUESE FIRMS, ASSUME HW-28'S WILL NECESSARILY BE OPERATED IN STANDARD MODE AS 35 FEET RADIUS FROM EQUIPMENT NOT CONTROLLED.

3. CLASSIFIED DESTRUCTION EQUIPMENT CONSISTS OF HAND-OPERATED, AIR-FED MARTIN INCINERATOR, WHICH APPEARS ADEQUATE FOR PRESENT AND FUTURE NEEDS.

4. FOR RCO, BONN: CONSULATE POSSESSES A SECOND SINGLE SIDE BAND E&E RADIO AT CONSULATE BUILDING. RSO RECOMMENDED TO OPORTO THAT THIS RADIO BE INSTALLED IN CONSULATE OFFICE. WHEN HW-28'S ARE INSTALLED, REQUEST THAT RCO TECHNICIAN PERFORM THIS SERVICE TO INCLUDE MOUNTING OF ANTENNA ON BUILDING ROOF.
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